

COOPERATIVE ECONOMIC INSECT SURVEY REPORT

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WHEAT INSECTS

GREENBUGS: None were found in wheat checked in the following counties: Allen, Douglas, Graham, and Trego.

BIRD CHERRY-OAT APHID: None were found in the above counties.

ARMY CUTWORMS: Ranged from 0.1-0.4 per row foot in wheat checked in Graham and Trego counties.

A field of wheat in Douglas County that looked good from the road was found to have more than 50 percent of the tillers dead or dying. The leaves were still green but the stems were soft and brown. New tillers were attempting to grow from the bases of the dead and dying tillers. The wheat surveyed from Chanute to Lawrence, while looking good, had poor root growth.

ALFALFA INSECTS

ALFALFA WEEVIL: Ranged from 0-50 percent of the stems infested in three fields in Anderson County.

PEA APHIDS/BUE ALFALFA APHIDS: None were found in the three fields checked in Anderson County.

LIGHT TRAP CATCH (FRONTENAC, KS.)

The trap was run from March 18-20 and the following moths were caught: Armyworm 3, green cloverworm 9, variegated cutworm 4.

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